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A self-service system and user interface supports a patient in initiating, monitoring, and managing administration of admission, discharge and scheduling 5 activity and in accessing medical information. A system supports patient access to medical information of the patient. The system includes an interface processor for receiving patient identification information and a database linking a patient identifier derived using the patient identification information, with prescription information identifying a medication for the patient. A data processor accesses the database to 10 retrieve the prescription information. A display processor initiates generation of data representing an image including the prescription information, in response to the received patient identification information and a request by the patient to access the prescription.